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The Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks Washington, D.C. U.S.A. 20231

Attention: Official Draftsman

Dear Sir:

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Re: United States Patent Application No. 09/270,111

For:METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONCENTRATING A GAS

USING A SINGLE STAGE ADSORPTION ZONE

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Applicant: Conrad et al.

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This correspondence is responsive to the Notice of Allowability dated August 16, 2000, in the above-identified patent application. As required on the Notice Re Patent Drawings, PTO-948, attached to Paper No. 6, we enclose herewith 4 sheets of formal drawings.

The completed issue fee transmital forms are being filed simultaneously herewith, under separate cover.

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Yours truly,

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